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Surface Transportation Board
1925 K Street, N.W., Room 3219
Washington, DC 20423-001

**RE: Docket No. AB-290 (Sub-No. 272X), Norfolk Southern Railway Company
Abandonment - in McDowell County, West Virginia.**

Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to your letter, regarding the proposed abandonment of a section of rail line between Milepost CB 0.0 and Milepost CB 2.5 located near Caretta, in McDowell County, West Virginia.

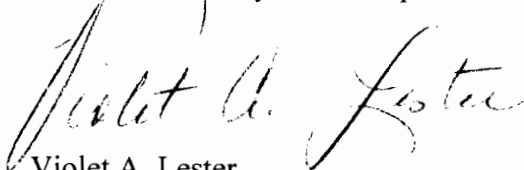
Upon review of the surrounding flood area, I find no adverse impact to the known Flood Plain in McDowell County as you stated no fill materials are to be used in or near a stream.

Documentation : NFIP Maps, dated June 16, 2005 therefore, a flood plain permit is not required at this time.

Please contact me if I can be of further assistance to you concerning this matter.

Sincerely,

McDowell County Redevelopment Authority



Violet A. Lester

McDowell County, Floodplain Manager

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PANEL 0305D

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FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP

**McDOWELL COUNTY,
WEST VIRGINIA
AND INCORPORATED AREAS**

PANEL 305 OF 435

(SEE MAP INDEX FOR FIRM PANEL LAYOUT)

CONTAINS:

<u>COMMUNITY</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>PANEL</u>	<u>SUFFIX</u>
McDOWELL COUNTY	540114	0305	D
WAR, TOWN OF	540122	0305	D

Notice to User: The **Map Number** shown below should be used when placing map orders; the **Community Number** shown above should be used on insurance applications for the subject community.



**MAP NUMBER
54047C0305D**

**EFFECTIVE DATE
JUNE 16, 2005**

Federal Emergency Management Agency

